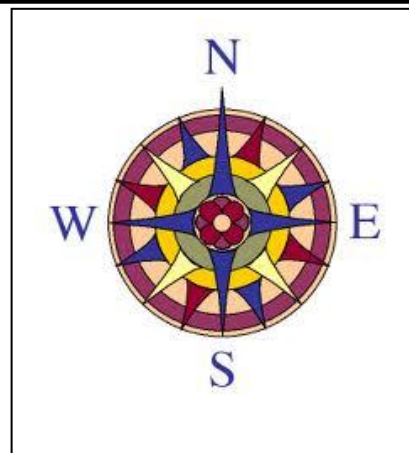




Site 03: Navy Housing Foundation

N 40° 35' 1.68"

W 73° 52' 59.27"



In this grassy, brushy area of the park you will notice a series of concrete pads. You are in the middle of what was a US Navy village of single and double wide trailers. The two long narrow strips of cement were the foundations for the trailer and the larger rectangular pad was the patio for the dwelling. Floyd Bennett Field thrived as a Naval air-station from 1941 until it became part of the National Park System in 1972. Visible from here are several closed buildings, and foundations that at one time supported the daily life of Naval Air-station New York.

Visit Instructions: Notice the large white dwellings to the East Southeast of your position. They are set across the street, with some of the largest trees on Floyd Bennett Field, and have a large field in front. These were the Commanding Officer and Executive Officer's Quarters during the Naval Air-station Era. Walk to the front door of each building and see what letter of the alphabet these Quarters have.